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# Catalogue of

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Hardy Plants

Including

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**Day Lilies** 

Iris

Pæonias Etc



Dahlias

Hardy Ferns

Trilliums

Hardy Shrubs

Vines

**Evergreens Etc** 

The Bellevue Nursery

Wm F Bassett & Son

Hammonton N J

# Catalogue of The Bellevue Nursery 33rd yr

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We have ascertained the express rate on different sized packages from Hammonton to some of the principal cities, from which our correspondents can get an idea of what it will cost for stock sent in this way. On moderate sized orders, express is much the best way to ship. Very large orders, and especially where bulky plants are wanted, freight will be cheaper, and with our superior packing there is little risk if shipped early. Plants by mail are never so satisfactory as by express, but in case small plants are wanted and the distance is great this will be cheaper. Postage on plants is 8 cents per lb. In ordering by mail be careful to include enough money to cover postage,

## TABLE OF EXPRESS RATES FROM HAMMONTON N J

To Philadelphia Pa.	5 lbs. 25c	10 lbs. 25c	15 lbs. 25c	20 lbs. 25c
" New York N. Y	" 35c	" 40c	" 40c	" 45c
" Chicago III.	" 55c	" 76c	" 8oc	" 90c
" Boston Mass.	" 40c	" 50c	" 6oc	" 65c
" Buffalo N. Y.	" 45c	" 55e	" 6oc	" 70c
" St. Louis Mo.	" 65c	- ' 75c	" 86c	" \$1.00
" San Francisco Cal.	" 85c	" \$1.65	" \$2.35	" 3.00
" Portland Ore.	" 85c	" 1.65	" 2.35	" 3.00

NO CHARGE FOR PACKING We make no charge for packing, boxing or bailing. This is always done in the best possible manner by skilled workmen.

OUR TERMS Are cash with the order unless special agreement is made. Money may be sent by Post Office or Express Money Order, Registered Letter or Bank Draft. Small amounts may be sent in 2 cent stamps.

SHIPPING SEASON We usually begin shipping early in March and the season lasts until about the middle of May,

OUR NURSERY is located in the Town of Hammonton, one half mile from the Pennsylvania Railroad Depot. Hammonton is in Atlantic County just 30 miles from Philadelphia, with connections by Pennsylvania and Reading Railroads. Here we have about 20 acres devoted to the cultivation of Hardy Plants and Shrubs. Many rare American varieties can be had of our nursery in large quantity. Our business is world wide. During the past year we have shipped to customers in England, Ireland, GERMANY, FRANCE, DENMARK, ITALY, HOLLAND, as well as to almost every State and Territory in the U. S. We have also supplied plants in large quantity for the following: South Park, Chicago.

BUFFALO BOTANIC GARDEN, West Seneca N. Y. CAMBRIDGE WATER WORKS, Cambridge Mass. NATIONAL ZOOLOGICAL PARK, Washington D. C. PROSPECT PARK, Brooklyn N. V. CHEROKEE PARK, Louisville Kv.

HIGHLAND PARK, Rochester N. Y. AMHERST COLLEGE, Amherst Mass

KENEY PARK, Hartford Conn.

SHAWNEE PARK, Louisville Kv.

The above are only a few of the places where our stock has been planted largely,

Um F Bassett & Son Hammonton N J

# New Plants For 1897

The beautiful Centrosema Virginica or "Blue Beauty" was first brought to notice by us. Since the introduction of this plant we have been trying to produce a pure white form by selection. We are happy to state that our efforts have been successful and we now have not only a pure snow white variety, "White Lady," but also a lovely varegated form, "Feathered Gem," with a pure white band around each flower,

White Lady

"WHITE LADY" is of vigorous growth, light green foliage, climbing freely to a height light green foliage, childing neerly to a long in of eight feet, covered with a profusion of purest white Sweet Pea like flowers two inches in diameter. It is one of the most desirable of climbers and will become very popular. Price of strong plants from open ground 35 cts. each, For seed see below.

## Feathered Sem

"FEATHERED GEM." This is very distinct and by some considered the finest of this set. The foliage is of a little darker shade of green while the flowers are deep sky blue with a broad band of pure white all around the flower, with splashes of pure white and deep purple in the center, This and the "WHITE LADY" are first class novelties. Price of strong plants from open ground 35 cts. each. For seed see below.

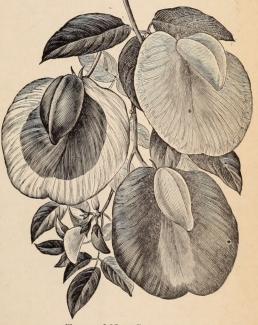
## Blue Beauty

"BLUE BEAUTY," This has the original type of pure blue flowers but has more variation in color and size than the original strain. Some of the flowers are deep purple while others are light blue. Some of the flowers are exceptionally large, Price of plants 20

## All Three Centrosemas From one strain of seed

The above three types of flowers come in the proportion of 25 per cent. "White Lady," 40 per cent. "Feathered Gem," 35 per cent. "Blue Beauty" all from the seed of "Feathered Gem." The different types are very distinct, A single packet of seed will furnish a good

number of plants of each of these beautiful varieties. Before sowing pour boiling water on the seed and let them swell. They will germinate quickly in this way. 20 cts. per extra large packet.



Types of New Centrosemas

New Rosa Wichuriana Hybrids It gives us pleasure to offer the first hybrids of Rosa Wichuriana. The habit of these new roses is the same as the Wichuriana or Memorial Rose. The growth is creeping, and can be used to cover the ground, stems of trees, pillars, posts, trellises, or any other purpose desired, including pot culture. They are the hardiest of Roses and will stand any climate or exposure, thriving in the poorest soil or on a gravel bank. The foliage is considered that been standard and the standard and the standard that the standard the standard finely cut, bright green, shining as if varnished, not subject to mildew or any insect, but keeps its full beauty until almost Christmas. The flowers are produced in great profusion, so that a two year old plant will produce several thousand most exquisite fragrant blossoms.

For price and full description of these new Roses see colored plate



## New Double

## Golden Rudbeckia

Gardening, the most valuable of all horticultural journals, speaks of this new plant as follows: "We hall it with delight as being one of the most distinct and beautiful hardy pereraials introduced for years." It will give you amufuls of large very double golden yellow flowers elegantheset if by their own foliage. We have bloomed this tlant on our own ground .e past summer and the show of flowers was gorgeous beyond description. The plant makes an abundance of foliage at the 1 with the tall branching stems each ending with an armense golden ball three inches in diameter. It will keep for nearly two weeks when cut. Strong field grown plants 35 cis, each; 6 for \$1.50.

## New Logan Berry

A promising new fruit from California. The following is the introducers description: "A hybrid between a raspberry and blather; as large as the largest blackberry; rich dark purplish red; of most delightful wer flavor, of surpassing quality. In the East it ripens its fruits in June, before all other raspberries: brings four times the price of other berries." While it has not yet fruited with us, we have every reason to believe it will be a great success. Field grown plants 30 cts each; \$2.50 per doz.

Double Rudbeckia

## Caryopteris

## mastacanthus

This is an elegant new shrub covered in August with lovely blue flowers. It is so distinct and beautiful that it will at once become a favorite. We have fully tested it as to hardiness and recommend it as one of the finest new plants in years. Extra heavy plants 25 cfs. each.

## New Red Trillium

This is a distinct form of Trillium grandiflorum having rosy pink flowers. When first opened the flowers are of the color of peach blossoms, turning darker with age. We have carefully tested it on our own grounds and it is certainly a valuable novelty. Strong bulbs 20 cts. each; \$2 per doz.



New Logan Berry

Strawberry Raspberry

A remarkable novelty from Japan. Grows but two feet high, with elegant rose-like toliage and pure white flowers, like an enormous single rose. These are succeeded by beautiful bright red fruits which appear to be a combination of a raspberry and strawberry. 20 cfts, each

Pearl Sooseberry A cross between Houghton and one of the best English varieties with the vigor, healthfulness and productiveness of the former with the large size and fine flavor of the latter. Fruit nearly double the size of Downing, fine green color and of excellent quality. A strong grower with abundant foliage, not a trace of mildew and very profife. It is the universal opinion that it is fally equal in hardiness, superior in size, quality, and productiveness to Downing. 2 yrs., 35 cts. ea.; \$3 per doz.



# PRESS COMMENTS.

From the American Florist, June 13, 1896—"W. A. Manda, South Orange, N. J., exhibited a most remarkable group of new roses, seedlings of Rosa Wichuriana, in foliage and habit exactly like Wichuriana, but the flowers of one are double white, another double pink, another shell pink, and one single pink. They are all beautiful acquisitions, lovely colors, and very fragrant. They created quite a sensation, and the Committee of Awards was requested to visit Mr. Manda beautiful novelties."

Wichuriana, all showing double flowers, one especially being worthy of note—a cross between one of the hybrid perpetuals and the type, the true parentage not being known. The plant shows the floriferousness and habit of growth of R. Wichuriana, being even more vigorous. The flowers are white and are very symmetrical. Mr. Manda said, from a small cutting put out last July, on one branch he counted over 150 flowers, and the growth had now attained the length of eighteen feet six inches. Other hybrids shown had been fertilized by Noisette pollen, the result being some very pretty shades of color ranging from pink to white. Mr. Manda has also been crossing the Memorial rose with Meteor, Mme. Hoste, and American Beauty, and the Sweetbriar, from which he hopes to obtain good fesults. The thanks of the club were tendered to Mr. Manda for his excellent exhibit."

The **Filorists'** Exchange, June 27—"W. A. Manda was awarded honorable mention for a very promising hybrid Rosa Wichuriana," "W. A. Manda, South Orange, N. J., had an interesting display of orchids and herbaceous flowers, and received from the committee of the Gardeners' Society a certificate for his new double hybrid of Rosa Wichuriana, previously mentioned in these columns, and which he has named 'Manda's Triumph.'"

American Gardening, June 27—"New Rose, 'Manda's Triumph,' New York Gardeners' Society's certificate of merit to W. A. Manda, South Orange, N. J."

particularly prominent. A hybrid of Rosa Wichuriana with double white flowers and dwarf habit gave promise of becoming a valuable addition to its class.

"To W. A. Manda, (New York Gardeners' Society certificate), for new rose 'Manda's Triumph,' a hybrid from Wichuriana and an unknown H. P." American Florist, June 27—"Brought out several very nice exhibits, among which that of W. A. Manda was ularly prominent. A hybrid of Rosa Wichuriana with double white flowers and dwarf habit gave promise of becoming

"Again shown and greatly admired-W. A. Manda's Wichuriana Hybrid, which received the award of honorable

American Gardening, June 27—" Special mention must be accorded to W. A. Manda for his most interesting new hybrid rose (R. Wichuriana X hybrid perpetual variety). This 'Triumph' as it has been named, was described on page 374, issue of June 13. It is satisfactory to learn that the Gardeners' Society recognized its interest and made a suitable

a silver medal and three certificates of merit to W. A. Manda for new roses. American Florist, July 18, 1896-"The New York Florists' Club has, through its Committee on Awards, given

W. A. Manda, at South Orange, N. J., on June 15, and examined his new roses. In their report of same they recommend certificates of merit to seedling No. 2. 'a very pretty double rose, color a porcelain pink, two inches in diameter, of sweet fragrance, much like the old Sweetbriar, extremely strong grower and hardy; 'to No. 3, 'a rosy pink, with a large decided white eye, single bloom, two inches in diameter, an exceedingly strong grower and hardy, and to No. 5, 'a beautiful double little rose, one inch in diameter, of a lovely blush pink color, a very strong grower and hardy.

"They recommended a silver medal to No. 8, 'the gem of the collection,' which might be called a double Rose Wichuriana, color of pure white, and intensely double, very sweet fragrance, the foliage a deep shining green, of great substance; the growth is exceedingly strong and perfectly hardy.

"The committee consists of Eugene Dailledouze, chairman; Patrick O'Mara'and Peter MacDonald." The Florists' Exchange, July 18—"The New York Florists' Club's Committee of Awards has recommended that the club's silver medal be awarded to W. A. Manda, South Orange, N. J., for his double hybrid of Rosa Wichuriana."

The Gardener's Magazine, London, Eng., Nov. 9, 1896.—A season or two since Mr. W. A. Manda crossed Rosa Wichuriana with various other species and varieties, Eglantine, a number of the most attractive teas, American Beauty and Gen. Jacqueminot. The hybrids have, we learn from the "Garden and Forest" lately been shown at South Orange, planted out on bare sandy banks, in positions where Rosa Wichuriana is especially valuable and attractive. In character of foliage and habit of growth they resemble the prostrate rambling parent, but the crossing has produced a most remarkable series of free flowering plants, with handsome fragrant flowers. One attractive hybrid, has clusters of pink single flowers, which resemble in miniature the Bridesmaid. There are also several forms with double white flowers. One of these with a delicate pink hue is peculiar and distinct, the numerous small rounded petals being reflexed and perfectly imbricated, an arrangement not usual among roses. Mr. Manda has also a number of other forms, mostly pink or rose in color, and varying in shape and number of petals which he purposes naming and offering next year. These hybrids must, our imbricated, an arrangement not usual among roses. Mr. Manda has also a number of other forms, mostly pink or rose color, and varying in shape and number of petals which he purposes naming and offering next year. These hybrids must, contemporary believes, meet with great favor with planters, as they add brilliancy or warmth of color to a valuable rose,

Manda's Triumph—Silver medal from the New York Florists' Club; Certificate from the New York Gardeners Society; Honorable mention from Massachusetts Horticultural Society.

Pink Roamer—Certificate of Merit from the New York Florists' Club. Universal Favorite—Certificate of Merit from the New York Florists' Club

South Orange Perfection-Certificate of Merit from the New York Florists' Club

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# New Rosa wichuriana hybrids

Manda's Triumph This grand rose is of free growth, luxuriant foliage, and produces large clusters of double pure white flowers, two inches in diameter, beautifully imbricated and well formed, very sweet scented. 60 cts. each, \$6 per dozen.

Universal Favorite
The most vigorous plant of the set. The long branching shoots are covered with dense bright green foliage. The flowers are over two inches in diameter, and of a beautiful rose color, similar to the Bridesmaid, and deliciously fragrant. 60 cts. each, \$6 pr. doz.

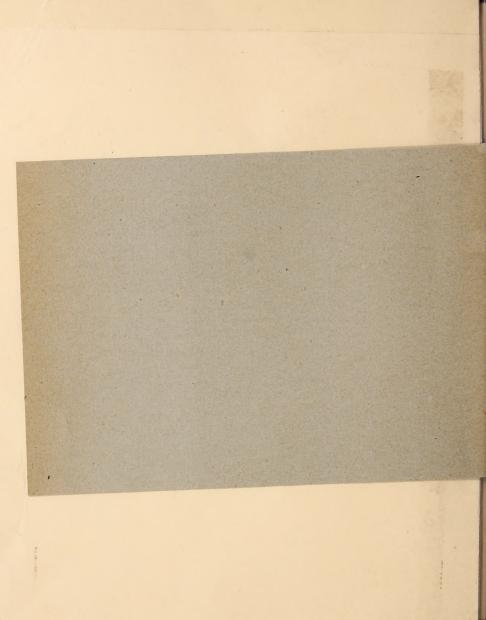
Pink Roamer

A hybrid between the Sweetbrier, and carries these characteristics in bloom, while the growth, which is very rampant, and the luxuriant foliage, partake more of the Wichuriana. The single flowers, which are produced in close heads, are nearly two inches in diameter, bright rich pink, with almost a white center, which lightens up the orange-red stamens, producing an effect which, coupled with fragrance, makes it one of the most valuable roses in cultivation. 60 cts. each, \$6 per dozen.

South Orange Perfection A gem, growing freely close to the ground, and having multitudes of the most perfectly formed double flowers, about one and one-half inches across, soft blush pink at the tips, changing to white. It lasts a long time in perfection. 60 cts. each, \$6 per dozen.

One each of these four new roses and one plant of the Wichuriana rose for \$2.

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## New Spiræa Anthony Waterer

Of Japanese origin, and although just introduced, is already acknowledged as an ideal plant. When scarcely three inches high it begins to bloom, and thereafter is seldom out of flower. As a house plant nothing can equal it. In the garden it will make a plant three feet high and wide, and will be covered with heads one foot across, of brilliant crimson flowers. It was introduced in 1895 by Mr. Waterer, at \$2 per plant, and was awarded several first-class certificates. Mr. Golding, of the Royal Gardens, Kew, says of it: "It is one of those exceptional novelties that occur only at rare intervals." Of easiest growth. 20 cts, each.

## New White Spiræa tomentosa

We are pleased to offer a new white flowered form of Spiræs tomentosa. It is of the same upright growth as the type, while the flowers are pure white. It is very distinct and is a valuable addition to these elegant shrubs.



New Spiræa Anthony Waterer

During the past season it has bloomed elegantly on our grounds and we find the flowers very fine for cutting.

25 cls. each; \$2 per doz. One White Spirea tomentosa and one Spirea Anthony Waterer for 35 cls.

## Hypericum Moserianum

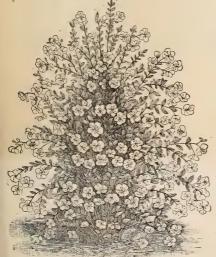
A plant that will command the attention of everyone. As will be seen from the illustration it is exceedingly graceful, producing long slender branching stems
leafy to the base, and drooping towards the points from
the weight of the flowers and buds, although the flowers face so that none of its beauty is lost. It is free
blooming, of great size, rich golden-yellow rendered
still more effective by the numerous yellow stamens and
anthers. It is perfectly hardy, forming a bush about 3
feet in height. 25 (is, each.

# Vitis Coignetica

This has been called The Japanese Crimson Glory
View. The horticultural journals of both hemispheres
have devoted pages in praising the magnificent crimson
color of its leaves in the fall, which is beyond description. A celebrated English horticulturist "could not
sleep after seeing the vine and being told he could not
get it." It will quickly cover porch, trellis or dead trees
with its beautiful foliage. We have a small stock of 2
year old plants which we offer at 35 cts. each.

## The Ideal Comato

This tomato is superior to all others we have grown, in solidity, large size and productiveness and is uniformly smooth and handsome. As a perfect tomato for family use or for market it is without an equal. The variety originated with us and the stock has been brought to a high state of perfection. The seed we offer is saved from perfect specimens. To 6ts. per packet.



Hyperleum moserianum

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# Hardy Herbaceous Perennials

This class of plants includes all those that live in the ground over winter but have the top, killed by frost. It will be seen that this class has a decided advantage over the tender bedding plants like Geraniums, Coleus and such plants, which have to be planted new each spring, and are ruined after the fist hard frost in the fall. Many hardy plants bloom at the very opening of spring while others bloom in succession, so that a well planned garden of hardy flowers will have something of interest at every month of the year. The beauty of such a garden is not to be compared with a mere display of bedding plants in geometric patterns.

In fitting up a new place the planting should be in keeping with the natural beauty of the place. Many large places, where thousands of dollars have been spent in laying out the grounds, have not the true beauty of some little cottage where nature and a pair of loving hands have trained the vines and planted some common but

beautiful plants, allowing them to grow in an unrestrained and natural manner,



Anthemis tinctoria



Aster Nova-Anglæ



Asphodelus luteus

## HARDY ASTERS

An elegant class of late summer and fall bloomers, varying in color from pure white to deep violet. All are easy to grow, We offer some of the best.

A. PATENS, Intense blue, 1 to 2 feet high, August. 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.

A. CONCOLOR. Flowers borne in compact spikes. of a peculiarly elegant shade of purple. Very distinct. 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.

A LINARIIFOLIUS. Of low bushy growth. Flowers pale blue, very late. 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.

A. SPECTABILIS. Deep blue, extra large flowers. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

A. NOVA-ANGLÆ. One of the showiest of the group. Four feet high, very bushy and completely covered for weeks with very large violet-blue flowers. 20 cts. each; \$1.75 per doz.

A. TRADESCANTII. Three feet high, flowers small and pure white; 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per dozen.

#### ASCLEPIAS TUBEROSA

Exceedingly showy. I to 2 feet high, bushy and covered with brilliant orange red flowers, 20 cts. each.

AQUILEGIA CANADENSIS, One foot high, flowers nodding, coral red and yellow. 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.

## ASPHODELUS LUTEUS

A very attractive plant with narrow grass like foliage and tall spikes of bright yellow flowers in June. 25 cts. each.

## ACHILLÆA MILLEFOLIUM ROSEUM Fine fern like foliage and clusters of rose pink flow-

ers. Free bloomer, 20 cts. each; \$2 per doz.

## ACHILLÆA "THE PEAR L"

Very large pure white flowers as double as roses, borne in fine large sprays. Grows in almost any soil and sure to succeed. Very fine for cut flowers. 15 cts. each; \$1 per doz.

A PIOS TUBEROSA. An attractive vine with elegant foliage and sweet scented chocolate flowers. Plant several in a place for best effect, 5 cts. each; 40 cts. per doz.

## ANTHEMIS TINCTORIA

One of the most beautiful of our collection. Flowers two inches in diameter, bright golden yellow on stems one foot high. Blooms all summer until very hard frost. 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.



Double Calystegia pubescens

## ASCLEPIAS INCARNATA

Two to three feet high with umbels of flesh-pink flowers, 15 cfts. each; \$1.50 per doz. Variety pulchra, similar but has downy leaves, same price.

CASSIA MARYLANDICA. An elegant plant, of bold habit, 3 to 4 feet high, fine foliage and panicles. of yellow flowers. 15 cts, each; large plants 20 cts, \$1.50 per doz.

## DOUBLE CALYSTEGIA PUBESCENS

A lovely vine with large rose colored, full double flowers. Climbs freely 6 feet high. Grows best from root cuttings which we ofter at 10 cts. each; 80 cts. per doz,

CHELONE GLABRA. Glossy green leaves and odd white flowers,  $1\bar{\mathfrak{o}}$  cts, each.

## CLEMATIS ERECTA

A real beauty. Grows three feet high and is completely covered in June with white sweet scented flowers in elegant sprays. It is sure to please, Strong plants 35 cts, each.

## CLEMATIS VIRGI IANA

A climbing species. Flowers pure white followed by the feathery seeds which remain until winter. 20 cts, each.

## CLEMATIS DAVIDIANA

An upright grower. 2 feet high with lovely blue flowers as sweet as a hyacinth. 25 cts. each; \$2 per doz.

## COREOPSIS LANCEOLATA

This is one of the freest bloomers we have, blooming the entire summer. Flowers clear golden yellow, 2 inches in diameter. An elegant garden plant and of great value for cutting. 115 cts. each; \$1 50 per doz,



Clematis Davidiana

## DIGITALIS (FOXGLOVE)

A very showy hardy flower growing about four feet high, bearing spikes of very brilliant red, pink, white or yellow flowers spotted and dashed with darker colors. Each flower is about two inches long like the finger of a glove. 15 cfs. each.

## DRACOCEPHALUM VIRGINICUM

An interesting plant about two feet high bearing spikes of large pale lilac colored flowers. 10 cts, each; six for 40 cts.

#### EUPATORIUM AROMATICUM

The flowers of this are very similar to the white ageratum, and are fully equal to it for boquets, while the plant is perfectly hardy. It will be seen by this that it is a plant of much value for all places where white flowers are wanted. 15 cts, each.

#### EULALIA JAPONICA ZEBRINA

A hardy grass growing from five to six feet high, with beautifully marked foliage, each leaf being barred with white. It makes elegant plumes, resembling those of the Pampas grass, that will keep for years if dried. 20 cts, each; six for 80 cts.

## **EULALIA GRACILLIMA UNIVITTATA**

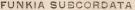
A species with very graceful toliage with a narrow white band through each leaf The plumes are if anything finer than the last. 15 cts, each; six for 60 cts.

## EUPHORBIA COROLATA

Among flowers blooming in the hot summer months there are few that flower more freely or last longer than this Euphorbia, Every branch is covered with delicate white flowers that last for two months. 15 cts. ea.



Crimson Eye Hibiscus



A lily-like plant with large, broad showy leaves sending up, late in the summer, tall spikes of pure white flowers, each flower as fine as the finest Easter Lily, and deliciously fragrant. It is a grand plant for a rich spot in the garden or for pot culture. 25 cts. each; six for \$1.

## FUNKIA "THOMAS HOGG"

Foliage banded with pure white. Flowers large deep purple. An elegant plant. 20 cts. each.

## **FUNKIA LANCEOLATA**

Flowers lilac, borne in lovely spikes. Very free bloomer. 15 cts.

## GERANIUM SANGUINEUM

A perfectly hardy Geranium living in the open ground all winter. It is a vigorous grower, blemming the entire summer. Flowers deep rosy red, 15 cts. each.

## **GYPSOPHILA REPENS**

In this we have almost an ideal plant for covering partially shaded places, and it will also do well in the full sun. It makes a perfect mat of fine green foliage that is

pure white flowers of finest quality for loquets of for cutting. As a plant for cemetery planting it is without an equal. 15 cls. each; \$1 per doz.

## GENTIANA ANDREWSII

The native closed flowered Gentian, A plant growing ten inches high with clusters of deep sky-blue flowers in October. 25 cts. each.

## GLECHOMA HEDERACEA

An excellent plant for covering bare ground under trees or shrubs where it will make a perfect mat of green. The flowers are a fine shade of blue. 10 cts. each.



Funkia Thomas Hogg

## HIBISCUS MOSCHEUTOS

An imposing plant with very large flowers varying from white to deep red. Grows four feet high. 15 cls.

## CRIMSON EYE HIBISCUS

This elegant strain of Hibiscus originated with us, and after many years of careful selection we have it entirely distinct, always coming true from seed. It is a robust grower with dark red stems and foliage. The

flowers are immense in size, often measuring TWENTY INCHESIN CIR-CUMPERENCE. The color is of the purest white with a large spot of deep velvety crimson in the center of each flower. It is a striking combination of color and must be seen to be fully appreciated. Well developed plants produce hundreds of these flowers in a season. It will succeed anywhere and is perfectly hardy, blooming the first year from seed sown in the open ground. 15 cts. each; 6 for 60 cts. Seed 5 cts. per packet.



Funkia subcordata

## HIBISCUS ROSE PINK

A variety of the above with flowers a delicate shade of pink like evergreen, and in the spring the whole plant is hid with a La France rese. 15 cts. each: six for 60 cts.

## HOUSTONIA CÆRULEA

A very pretty little spring bloomer. Forms tufts of fine foliage from which rise numerous clusters of delicate blue flowers, each flower about one-half inch across. 10 cts. each; SI per doz.

## HELONIAS BULLATA

A very rare and local plant suited to damp ground or pot culture. The flowers, which are borne on a stem fifteen inches high, are of a very delicate pink shade and very fragrant. 15 cts. each.





## HELIANTHUS

A class of very showy perennials with yellow flowers varying from 1% to 4 inches in diameter. Very effective for groups or bordering shrubbery. The species offered below are the finest of this class.

HELIANTHUS LÆTIFLORUS. A species growing from three to four feet high, blooming in August. Flowers three inches in diame-gradep yellow. 15 cts. each; six for 60 cts.

HELIANTHUS ORGYALIS. Four to six feet high; foliage very line and graceful; flowers orange-yellow, borne on slender stems. As yet somewhat rare. 20 cts. each, six for \$1.

HELIANTHUS DIVARICATUS. A slender plant about two feet high, with oddly spreading leaves and pale yeliow flowers, to cts, each; six for 60 cts.

HELIANTHUS MAXIMILIANII. A very showy Mexican species growing ten to twelve feet high with the stem covered with teautiful large pale yellow flowers for more than half its length. Very fine. 2ccts, each; six for st.

HELIANTHUS ANGUSTIFOLIUS. Flowers rich orange yellow torne in spreading panicles. Late August. Very showy, 15 cts, each.

## HEPATICA TRILOBA

Forms tufts of deep green leaves from which in early spring rise numerous stems bearing pale blue or white flowers. A beauty. Does well in shade. 15 cts each; six for 60 cts.



Hemerocallis flava

## HEMEROCALIS FLAVA

A plant of the greatest beauty and one that deserves all the praise we can give it. The foliage is very graceful, and the flowers, which are borne in large clusters, are of the purest lemon-yellow in color and deliciously fragrant. 20 cfs. each; \$2 per doz.

## HELENIUM AUTUMNALE

Flower pure yellow, two inches across. Each petal is notched, which gives the plant a distinct appearance when in bloom. 15 cts each; six for 60 cts.

## GERMAN IRIS

We have a superb collection of these elegant Iris comprising some of the finest American seedlings and imported varieties. The following are all very fine: Princess of Wales, pure white; Nudicaulis, violet-purple and crimson-purple; Fulva, gold veined brown; Adonis, violet and blue; Alba Odorata, white, edged lavender; Blu-Parfeur, mauve, white ground; Butterfly, spotted brown; Dorante, mauve, lobes veined blue; Fulgore, yellow veined brown; Ignatatia, mauve; Louise, blue and white; Pluralis, mauve and iliac; Rolette, lavender, veined violet; Spectabilis, velvety purple shaded black; Variabilis, mauve, purple lobes; Florentina, pearl-white. Price for any of above 10 cfs. each; \$L per dor.







Herbaceous Pæonia

Opuntia vulgaris

Ornothogalum umbellatum

## IRIS KÆMPFERII

The most showy of the genus Flowers 5 to 8 inches across, of superb coloring. The following are all extra fine. Arabella, deep velvety purple with orange marking; Blue Jay, sky blue with white lines; Maltese, mottled deep blue and purple; Oriole, rich plum color shading to deeper in center; Gold Bound, pure white with gold band. Any of the above superb varieties 20 cts. each; \$2 per per doz.

## MISCELLANEOUS SPECIES OF IRIS

IRIS PUMILLA, Very large deep purple flowers. Plant very dwarf. 12 cts. each.

IRIS SIBERICA. Two feet high with delicately marked blue flowers. 15 cts, each.

IRIS PRISMATICA. Of slender grass like growth. Flowers good size, sky blue penciled purple yellow and white. 15 cts. each.

IRIS VERSICOLOR. Flowers deep blue. 12 cts. each.

## IPOMÆA PANDURATA

This Ipomæa or hardy Moonflower is a splendid freegrowing vine. blooming very freely and for training over veranda or arbor is one of the best climbers we have. The color is pure white with a purple throat. 20 cfs. each.

#### LOBELIA CARDINALIS

This Lobelia grows about two feet high and bears long spikes of scarlet flowers of the most intense color. 15 ets. each; \$1,25 per doz.

## LOBELIA SYPHILITICA

Resembles Lobelia Cardinalis in many respects, but the flowers are a fine ultra-marine blue; a fine companion to it. 15 cts. each,

## LIATRIS GRAMINIFOLIA

A very fine hardy bulbous plant growing about two feet high and branching freely. Every inch of stem is crowded with purple flowers that remain in bloom several weeks. Io cts. each; 75 cts. per doz.

## LYTHRUM SALICARIA SUPERBA

This makes a strong bushy plant with numerous branches, every one covered during its season with elegant rose-red flowers. 15 cts. each; six for 50 cts.

## LYSIMACHIA CLETHROIDES

An upright plant with racemes of very showy pure white flowers. 15 cts. each.

#### LYSIMACHIA PUNCTATA

A tall and somewhat bushy plant producing very large pure yellow flowers similar to the Money Wort. 15 cts. each,

## LIPARIS LILIIFOLIA

A little Orchid that will succeed in any rich shady place, and bloom freely each year. The flowers are borne on spikes eight inches high, and are of a rich red-brown color. Very odd. 20 cts. each.

## LILIUM SUPERBUM

A very showy tall growing Lily with deep red flowers shaded to yellow in the throat. 15 cts. each; six for 75 cts.

#### NYMPHÆA ODORATA

The large flowered sweet scented Water Lily, Flowers three to five inches across. Strong roots 20 cts. each,

#### NYMPHÆA ODORATA MINOR

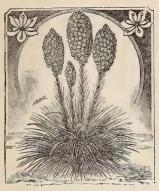
A small flowered form of the Water Lily. Flowers two to three inches across. It will produce more flowers than any other Water Lily. 20 cts. ea.: \$2 per doz.

## OPUNTIA VULGARIS

The Prickly Pear Cactus or Indian Fig. Very odd in appearance and when covered with its large yellow flowers or red fruit it is very showy. 10 cts. each.

## ORNOTHOGALUM UMBELLATUM

An elegant spring blooming bulbous plant. Flowers one inch across, pure white, borne in good clusters. 10 cts. each.





## PARDANTHUS CHINENSIS

Makes a fine Iris-like plant bearing red blossoms that are spotted like leopards, with dark brown. The seeds soon form, and in appearance they are exactly like blackberries. 12 cts. each; \$1 per dozen



Xerophyllum asphodelloides

## MONTBRETIAS

The Montbretias resemble Gladiolus in appearance and growth, but they bloom much more profusely and remain in bloom for weeks. The flowers are red shading off to orange and yellow at the base of the petals, and about one inch in diameter, borne in lovely clusters. Hardy if covered with mulch in winter. I ofts, each.

## ORONTIUM AQUATICUM

As an accompanyment to the Hardy Water Lilies, this is an almost indispensable plant. It sends up long club shaped flower heads borne well above the water. The color is a very rich golden yellow. The flowers are quickly followed by the large velvety green leaves which are very attractive all summer. 20 cts, each.

## CENOTHERA MAJOR

This plant is similar to the lovely Evening Primrose, but opens its flowers in the day time. The flowers are pure lemon yellow and produced in great profusion. 20 cts. each; \$1.80 per doz.

#### PLUMBAGO LARPENTÆ

Real blue flowers (the genuine deep sky-blue) are not so common among garden plants as other colors, and for this reason this lovely Plumbago is indispensable. It grows very dwarf and compact, blooming freely the entire summer. 20 c8s. each; \$1.75 per doz.

## PLAYTOCODON GRANDIFLORUM

An exceedingly free flowering hardy plant growing two feet high, producing a profusion of bell shaped flowers two inches across of all shades of blue to pure white. 20 cts. each. \$2 per doz.

## PÆONIAS

Splendid garden plants unequaled for gorgeous display, ranging in color from pure white to pink and deep red, with flowers four to eight inches across, as double as the finest roses. 20 cfts, each; 6 for \$t. Yucca filamentosa

## SARACENIA PURPUREA

This native Pitcher plant is a very satisfactory plant for growing in pots or in moist places out of doors. The strange pitcher like leaves rival the finest Begonias in brilliancy of color and the fine large purple blooms are very beautiful and fragrant. 15 éts. each; §1 per doz.

## TRADESCANTIA VIRGINICA ALBA

A white flowered form of the common blue Spiderwort. Very distinct and beautiful, Very free blooming. 12 cts. each; \$\frac{1}{2}\$ per doz.

#### TRILLIUM GRANDIFLORUM

An elegant spring blooming plant with elegant foliage and very large pure white flowers. 10  $\,$  Cts. each;  $\,$ \$1 per doz.

## VIOLA PEDATA BICOLOR

One of the most beautiful of all violets. Lower petals sky blue; upper petals deep purple. 12 &ts. each.

#### VERONICA CERCÆOIDES

A trailing evergreen vine with brilliant blue flowers in spring. A beauty and very easy to grow. 10 cts. each: \$1 per doz.

#### XEROPHYLLUM ASPHODELLOIDES

This Turkey's Beard produces great bunches of grasslike (evergreen), foliage two feet long, gracefully recurved the ends touching the ground. The flowers are produced on tall spikes two to four feet high, each spike bearing several hundred lovely creamy white flowers. 15 cts. each; \$1.25 per doz.

#### YUCCA FILAMENTOSA

The Yuccas are grand plants producing broad tropical evergreen leaves and bearing immense spikes 6 feet high of creamy white flowers two inches in diameter. 15 cs. each; \$1.50 per doz.





Montbretia (see page 9)

Tiarella cordifolia

## Miscellaneous Hardy Plants

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	Each	Dozen		Each	Dozen
Achillæa tomentosa	. \$0,15	\$0.80	Gerardia flava	5.20	\$1.00
Arenaria squarrosa	. ,15	.80	" quercifolia	,20	1.50
" lateriflora	20	1.50	Lupinus perennis	.15	1.00
Anemone nemorosa	12	.90	Lilium supurbum	.15	1.50
Aletris farinosa		.90	Mertensia Virginica	.12	1.50
Asclepias obtusifolia		.80	Pyxidanthera barbulata	.20	1.75
" rubra :		2,25	Phlox maculata	.15	1,50
Arisæma triphyllum		.60	" subulata	,12	1,00
Acorus calamus		.75	Rudbeckia laciniata	.15	1.50
Baptisia tinctoria		1.00	" nitida	.15	1.50
Chrysopsis Mariana		.75	Solidago odora	,12	1.00
Cypripedium acaule		1.00	sempervirens	.15	1.25
Cimcifuga racemosa		.80	Vernonia Novaboracensis	,15	1.50
Dicentra cucullaria		.80	Viola pedata	,10	.90
Drosera filiformis	10	,75	" cuculata	.10	.90
Epilobium angustifolium		1.00	Sedum ternatum	.IO	.90
Eupatorium ageratoides		1.00	" acre	.10	.90
" purpureum		1.00	Tiarella cordifolia	.15	1.50
Eringium Virginicum		I,00	Trillium cernuum	.15	.90
Gillenia trifolia	20	1.50	erectum	.10	,90

## Miscellaneous Hardy Ferns

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	Each	Dozen		Each	Dozen
Adiantum pedatum		\$1.50	Osmunda regalis		\$2.00
Asplenium ebeneum		1.00	" cinnamomea		2,00
" trichomanes			Onoclea struthiopteris		2.00
Aspidium marginale			" sensibilis		1.25
" acrostichoides	.15	1.25	Polypodium vulgare	.15	1.00
" spinulosum	.15	1.50	Pteris aquilina	,10	1.00
Camptosorus rhizophyllus	.15		Woodwardia angustifolia		1.25
Lygodium palmatum	,20	2.00	" Virginica	.15	1.25

## General Collection of Dahlias

Our collection of Dahlias embraces nearly all the best varieties from the European and American growers, and is unsurpassed by any. All inferior varieties are discarded.

PRICE. UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED. 15 CTS. EACH. \$1.50 PER DOZ.

## Show and Fancy Dahlias

Arrah No Pogue-black maroon tipped white. A. D. Livonia—pink perfection; best of this color. Arabella—an elegant combination of yellow, white and

Burgundy-rich dark plum, lighter at base of petals.

Beauty of the Rhine-light pink ground tipped deep pink. Bird of passage-light base shading to pink; early and free Crimson King-crimson.

Colonist—chocolate and fawn; beautiful changeable shades. 25 cts.

Catherine-rich yellow, very full. Dazzler-yellow, striped and splashed scarlet.

Decorator -delicate blush, daintily striped red. Dandy—rich blackish maroon, sometimes striped lilac. Duchess of Cambridge—white, shaded pink and tipped

crimson. Elegans-violet purple tipped white.

Electric-brilliant dazzling red. Frank Smith-very dark maroon tipped white; perfect

Fanny Purchase-clear yellow; extra fine.

Gen, Grant-orange, striped chocolate; very large and Goldfinch-yellow, striped purple and tipped white;

variable but always fine. John Walker-pure white; one of the best.

Keystone-lilac pink, striped crimson. Lucy Fawcett-pale straw, striped rosy magenta; very

Lady Maude Herbert-pink, shading darker at tips. Maid of Orleans-pink, shading to purple at tips.

Madge Wildfire—bright scarlet; perfect form.

May Oakleigh—beautiful deep lilac, medium size and good form, New, 25 cts,

Marguerite-lilac pink; rather small and always on long stems

Miss Ruth-yellow, tipped white; very large,

Miss Browning—yellow, tipped white. Maria Geering—yellow, striped red,

Madame Moreau—pink; very large and showy Mary D. Hallock—deep yellow; best of its color.

Nero-crimson maroon with violet shading; very tall; perfect form.

Paul of Paisley-dark lilac; fine form.

Penelope—pure white, delicately shaded lavender purple President—white, with lavender purple center.

Queen of Yellows—clear yellow; very early and free, Royal Queen—yellow ground, deeply edged with pur-

plish crimson. Ruby Oueen-ruby red, richly shaded; very distinct and a novel color.

S. Sickman-dark crimson maroon; sometimes tipped white.

Saul's Scarlet-scarlet; a color which is rare among Dahlias.

Snow-pure white.

Sunbeam-rich crimson, striped white.

Wacht am Rhine-crimson maroon.

White Dove-pure white.

W. H. Williams-scarlet.

## Decorative Dahlias

Asia--delicate peach; early and free blocming. Black Prince-velvety blackish maroon; the darkest variety

Baron Schræder-imperial purple; a new color, 25 cts. Beauty of Brentwood-rich purple.

Constance-white

Countess of Pembroke-delicate lilac, elegantly shaded. Claribel -royal purple; very fine. 25 cts.

Delicata—light salmon ground, shading to delicate pink. Empress of India—deep crimson and maroon, shaded black

Formosissi na Picta-scarlet and straw, striped. H. Freeman-pure white.

Ione-clear primrose yellow; very large, 25 cts.

John Bragg-very dark maroon with crimson shading, Kynerith--magnificent vermillion with lighter shade at base. 25 cts.

King of Cactus-rich pæony red; large, extra for cutting. Launcelot-reddish brown.

Lady Montague-rich fiery salmon, shaded cherry.

Lady Marsham-soft crimson scarlet; very fine. 25 cts. Maid of Kent-velvety crimson, heavily tipped white. Miss Violet Morgan-cream or fawn, shaded delicate

Mrs. A. Newhall-very bright mahogany red; very fine. 25 cts.

Miss Barry—imperial purple. Nymphæa—blush pink.

Oban-rosy lavender; a novel and pleasing color, 25 cts. Rayon de Orr-orange scarlet; An attractive flower. St. Catharine-soft reddish amber.

Viscountess(Folkestone-primrose, shading to pink and

Wiltshire Lass-French white: one of the best, 25 cts.

## Pompone Dahlias

Achilles lilac, good form and free. Admiration crimson, tipped white. Bacchus bright crimson scarlet. Dora creamy white; very full. Dr. Webb dark crimson.

Grace cerise; tinted lilac; distinct.

Guiding Star pure white; excellent for cutting.

Hector lilac; good.

Jewel very bright yellow; flowers very small and freely produced. Klein Domatia, orange buff; one mass of bloom all

summer. Little Prince currant red, tipped white and spotted rich

crimson; perfection.

Leila reddish buff; tipped white; extra. 25 cts. Lilian primrose, edged peach; a little beauty. 25 cts. Little Jack deep rich maroon.

Lady Blanche creamy white; very double.

Loveliness pink ground, shading off to lilac; very pretty. Little Frank light amber, shading to rich salmon. Liebchemien crimson and white striped; extra good. 25 cts.

Sunshine geranium scarlet. good form and full. Tommy Keith cardinal red, tipped white; very con-

stant, 25 cts. Vivid very brilliant scarlet.

Whisper clear yellow, edged golden bronze. Winifred white shaded lavender; very early.

## Cactus

## Dahlias

Bertha Mawley cochineal red with long spiral petals brilliant Ernest Cannell scarlet; best, 25 cts.

H, Cannell rich velvety crimson, tinted purple. 25c Juarezzi rich crimson.

Mrs. Peart white. Prof. Baldwin scarlet. Robert Cannell magenta with bluish tinge.

## Dwarf Dahlias

bright dazzling scarlet

Fernleaved Beauty creamy white, bordered crimson; elegant foliage and dwarf habit, but flowers on long stems. 25 cts.

Ohm Pere saffron; very distinct and a novel color. Saturn crimson maroon; a large flower with notched petals. Good.

Triumph de Solferino bright solferino; flowers of the largest size freely produced



Single Dahlia

## Single Dahlias

Enchantment Chinese red, vellow disc.

Fernleaf crimson, sometimes striped vellow; fern foliage James Scobie yellow, flaked

and striped scarlet Lady Whitehead rich rosy purple with yellow ring around disc.

Miss Tutt small, rosy pink. Paragon velvety crimson, with darker margin.

Violet Fern light crimson with violet shade.

Marginata violet crimson with a broad white band through the center of each petal. New and distinct.

## Mixed Varieties

A great variety of colors all good kinds. These of course will not be labelled but some of the best varieties will be put in. These will furnish a large assortment at very cheap rates. \$1 per dozen, \$7.50 per 100. 500 for \$30.

## PRICE, UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED, 15 CTS. EACH \$1.50 PER DOZ.

Our Cover Illustration The engraving on back of cover shows three very distinct and beautiful Dahlias. Mrs. Peart, one of the true cactus Dahlias, with pure white twisted petals and flowers 5 inches across. SATURA, a dwarf variety with large crimson flowers and oddly notched petals. A very distinct variety, MAID OF KENT, one of the decorative class with broad velvet crimson petals very heavily tipped white. One of the very best of this class. These Dahlias have all been high priced varieties heretofore but we now make the following very liberal offer:

Two each of Mrs. Peart, Saturn and Maid of Kent and six other varieties (our selection) by mail for \$1.

## General collection of Hardy Shrubs

## AMORPHA FRUTICOSA

A vigorous growing shrub with beautiful foliage, covered in June with masses of deep purple, fragrant flowers, 15 cts, each.

## AZALEA VISCOSA

One of the most beautiful of the native species and one that responds readily to cultivation. The flowers are pure white, with sometimes a tinge of pink, and very fragrant. Season of bloom extends through June, July and August. 25 cts. each; larger plants at 40 and 50 cts. each.

## AZALEA NUDIFLORA

Of a more spreading habit than the last, flowers deep rosy red varying to light pink. Blooms in spring, just before the leaves appear. 20 cts. each.

## AZALEA VASEYII

Beautiful species from the Southern Alleghenies. Flowers large pure white. 30 cts, each.

## AZALEA ARBORESCENS

Large growing species with pure white flowers. 30 cts. each.

## AMELANCHIER BOTRYAPIUM

Commonly known as Shad Bush from the fact that it opens its panicles of showy white flowers about "shad time." 20 cts. each.

## AMELANCHIER CANADENSIS

Of much dwarfer growth than the last; flowers creamy white. The foliage, in Autumn, turns to a bright yellow. 15 cts. each.

#### ALTHÆA

Rose of Sharon. Of this popular shrub we offer the following varieties, all very desirable.

 $\mathbf{A}.$  SINGLE WHITE. Very dwarf with snow-white flowers. 20 cts, each.

A. DOUBLE RED. Of vigorous growth and very free flowering; flowers deep red, as full double as a rose. 20 cts. each.

A. DOUBLE WHITE. Similar to the last but has creamy white flowers.  $20 \, \text{cts.}$  each.

A, ROSÆFLORA. Very beautiful variety with flowers mottled white and rose. 25 cts each.

A. JERSEY BLUE. A beautiful and distinct variety introduced by us in 1891. It is wonderfully free flowering, the large double flowers being of a distinct blue shade. 30 cts, each,

## ANDROMEDA MARIANA

An exceedingly valuable low growing shrub with deep glossy green foliage that turns to deep red in autumn. The flowers are pure waxy white and appear with the first leaves in spring. 30 cts. each.

#### ANDROMEDA RACEMOSA

Grows three to six feet high, producing in June countless racemes of pearly white bell shaped flowers with flowers (some of the having the exquisite flagrance of Pond Lilies, 30 c. ea. in diameter). 30 cfs. each.

## ANDROMEDA CALYCULATA

Two to three feet high with small, evergreen foliage. Very early in spring the plants are covered with racemes of delicate white flowers. 20 cts. each.

## ANDROMEDA ARBOREA

This species is of more robust growth than the others, often making a medium sized tree. The flowers are creamy white, in good sized panicles. The foliage is rich glossy green in summer, turning to vivid scarlet in autumn. 40 cts. each.

## BACCHARIS HALIMIFOLIA

In September this shrub appears from a distance as though covered with snowy white flowers, but on closer inspection it is found to be soft white plumes. 40 c. ea,

## CHIONANTHUS VIRGINICA

Five to ten feet high covered in June with large clusters of fringe-like white flowers. 30 cts. each,

## CEANOTHUS AMERICANUS

Makes a compact round shrub two feet high. It blooms in July, the flowers appearing like fine white mist, all over the plant. 25 cts. each.

## CALYCANTHUS FLORIDUS

This popular shrub is known under various names, "Sweet Shrub," "Strawberry Shrub," Pineapple Shrub" and "Shrub" are some of its common names. The deep chocolate colored flowers have a fruity fragrance. 25 c.

## CLETHRA ALNIFOLIA

Three feet high, bearing in mid-summer, spikes of fragrant white flowers. The fragrance is intense and may be noticed five hundred feet away. 20 cts.each.

## DEUTZIA "PRIDE OF ROCHESTER"

One of the most popular of the Deutzias. Of robust growth and very free flowering. 25 cts, each.

#### EUONYMUS AMERICANUS

Strawberry Shrub. Two to four feet high; the entire plant, stems and leaves, of a rich, glossy green. Bears large, rough, crimson berries in the autumn. 20 c.

#### **EUONYMUS EUROPEUS**

A vigorous growing shrub or small tree bearing a profusion of crimson berries in autumn. Known as "Burning Bush." 25 cts. each.

## FORSYTHIA SUSPENSA

Stems gracefully curved, forming a shapely shrub, every twig of which is covered in April with lovely yellow bell-shaped flowers. 15 cts. each.

## HYDRANGEA PANICULATA GRANDIFLORA

One of the most popular of the flowering shrubs, producing in July and August, immense clusters of pure white flowers (some of the clusters measure ten inches in diameter). 30 cts. each.

## ITEA VIRGINICA

For delicate and graceful beauty, this shrub is one of the finest. Produces racemes of cream white, fragrant flowers all over the plant. The stems and foliage turn a brilliant red in autumn. 20 cfts. each; 6 for St.

## KALMIA LATIFOLIA .

Laurel. The most beautiful evergreen flowering shrub in cultivation. It is of great beauty at all seasons, but in June when covered with its large clusters of pink white flowers it is magnificent. 30 cts. each.

## KALMIA ANGUSTIFOLIA

Of very dwarf growth with smaller foliage than the last, with clusters of red flowers in spring. 20 cts. each,

## LILAC, PERSIAN RED

The Persian Lilacs are of more slender growth than the old-fashioned varieties. The Persian Red produces immense clusters of elegant deep red flowers on wandlike stems. 25 cts. each.

## LILAC, PERSIAN WHITE

Like the last in growth, but has pure white flowers. Very choice. 30 cts. each.

## LILAC, VIRGINALIS

A beautiful snow white Lilac; very free blooming and desirable. 30 cts. each.

The old fashioned Lilac. Flowers in very large clusters, deep and rich in color. 25 cts. each.

#### LEIOPHYLLUM BUXIFOLIUM

A little evergreen of great beauty, forming compact bushes two feet high, covered in May with snowy white flowers that completely hide the foliage. 30 cts. each.

## MAHONIA AQUIFOLIA

Three to four feet high with evergreen foliage somewhat resembling that of Holly. In autumn the leaves turn to beautiful shades of red, rich green and bronze. Flowers golden yellow. 30 cts. each,

#### MAGNOLIA GLAUCA

One of the finest of the Magnolias. Leaves deep green above and glaucous white on the under side. Flowers waxy white, three inches in diameter, and richly fragrant. Well established plants, 40 cts. each.

#### MAGNOLIA SOULANGEANA

A Japanese species forming a small tree with large white and purple flowers entirely covering the tree just before the leaves appear in spring; very fragrant. 50 cts. each.

## MAGNOLIA GRANDIFLORA

The southern Magnolia. Leaves very large and evergreen. Flowers of immense size and very fragrant. Hardy as far north as Philadelphia. 50 cts, each.

## PYRUS JAPONICA

A very brilliant shrub for early spring. The bright red flowers are produced so freely as to cover the plant. Makes a splendid hedge plant, and will bear any amount ets, each, of pruning. 25 cts. each.

## POTENTILA FRUTICOSA

Of dwarf growth, seldom more than three feet high

## PYRUS ARBUTIFOLIA

Three to five feet high with clusters of white flowers in May, followed by bright red berries that remain through the winter, 25 cts. each.

## ROBINIA HISPIDA

Sweet Pea Shrub. This old fashioned flower is of remarkable beauty and has been rightly named Sweet Pea Shrub. The flowers, which are bright rosy pink, are borne in large clusters all over the plant, 20 cts. each.

## ROSA RUGOSA

Japan species with distinct, beautiful foliage and very large crimson flowers followed by large red berries. Exceedingly hardy. 30 cts. each,

## ROSA LUCIDA

An elegant dwarf single rose. Flowers flesh pink, two inches in diameter. 20 cts. each.

## ROSA CAROLINA

Three to four feet high. Flowers deep pink, single, two inches in diameter. 15 cts. each.

## ROSA NITIDA

This is an elegant single rose with very dark glossy foliage, making a very beautiful growth of about two feet; flowers pink, two inches across. 20 cts. each.

## RHODODENDRON MAXIMUM

One of the hardiest Rhododendrons in cultivation. and surpassing in beauty of foliage all of the hybrid varieties. It blooms very freely, producing large clusters of white flowers, tinged with pink, 25 cts. each; larger, 40 to 50 cts.

#### VIBURNUM NUDUM

Much admired for its large glossy green leaves. The flowers are creamy white, in large flat clusters. 25 cts.

## VIBURNUM CASSINOIDES

One of the best of the Viburnums. Covered in June with creamy white flowers, and in September with pink and blue berries. Very distinct and beautiful, 20 cts. each.

## VIBURNUM ACERIFOLIUM

Of upright growth with maple shaped foliage, which turns to a beautiful shade of crimson in autumn. Flowers white, succeeded by clusters of large black berries. 25 cts. each.

#### WIEGELAS

Very beautiful shrubs of spreading habit, with tubular flowers of various shades of red, pink and white. The following are distinct and very beautiful

W. ROSEA. Rosy pink, 20 cts, each.

W. CANDIDA. Pure white; continuous bloomer. 25 cts. each. W. AMABILIS. Flowers light pink; variegated foliage. 25

W. DESBOIS. Very large; flowers dark red. 20 cts each.

# Vines and Woody Climbers

## AKEBIA QUINATA

A very rapid grower, climbing fifteen or twenty feet. The foliage is five parted and very attractive. It bears a quantity of very odd purple flowers in spring. 20 cts. each

## BITTER SWEET

Celastrus scandens. A valuable climber bearing scarlet berries in autumn. 25 cts, each.

## GRECIAN SILK VINE

A very vigorous grower, with long, dark green leaves and odd chocolate colored flowers in summer. 25 cts. each.

## BOSTON IVY

Ampelopsis Veitchii. A very popular vine that clings to either wood or stone, clothing them with a mat of the most elegant foliage, which changes to deep crimson and scarlet in autumn. 20 cts. each.

## TRUMPET FLOWER

Tecoma radicans. A beautiful old fashioned vine bearing clusters of deep red, trumpet shaped flowers in summer. 15 cts. each.

## HONEYSUCKLES

These vines are among the best climbers that we have being unsurpassed in beauty of foliage, and the flowers are deliciously fragrant. We have three varieties as follows: Hall's Japan, almost evergreen, 15 cts. each; Common Japan, evergreen, 15 cts, each; Variegated, 20 cts. each.

## ENGLISH IVY

For places not too much exposed, the English Ivy is a grand one; clings to wood or stone, and makes a close mat of green, winter and summer. 20 cts. each.

## EUONYMUS RAD. VARIEGATA

A beautiful little vine with variegated foliage, clinging well to stone or wood. 20 cts. each.

## PERIWINKLE

Vinca minor. A lovely trailing vine with evergreen foliage, and beautiful blue flowers in the spring. 15 cts. each.

## DOUBLE PERIWINKLE

A beautiful form of the last, with double flowers. 15 cts. each.

## Deciduous Trees

## THORNLESS HONEY LOCUST

A magniyeent tree with fine fern-like foliage, and entirely free from thorns. 20 to 40 cts. each.

## NORWAY MAPLE

A dark leaved, broad lopped maple; one of the most popular trees for street or yard planting, growing in a very compact shape. 30 cts. each,

## SCARLET MAPLE

Acer rubrum. A fine variety, in form between the Silver and Norway Maples. In spring the red seed vessels are very ornamental, and in autumn the leaves turn to the most brilliant scarlet, 25 cts. each.

## SILVER MAPLE

The most rapid growing of the Maples. Foliage cut and parted in a pleasing manner, 25 to 40 cts. each.

TULIP TREE Liriodendron tulipifera. A rapid growing, broad and pyramidal tree, with large light green leaves, very distinct and beautiful in color. It bears very large yellow and green tulip shaped flowers. It is well adapted to street planting, its shaft being as straight as an arrow, and the foliage is not eaten by insects. 25 to 80 cts. each; much better in every way, 25 to 50 cts. each,

## HORSE CHESTNUT

Æsculus Hippocastanum. Foliage appears very ear'v in the spring and is immediately followed by very large trusses of white flowers dotted with yellow and red. It is an elegant lawn tree and well adapted to small yards. 20 to 40 cts. each,

## MAIDEN HAIR TREE

Salisburia adiantifolia. This is a rare tree from Japan, and is very distinct and beautiful. The foliage is quite large and resembles some of the beautiful Maiden Hair ferns 50 cts. each.

## SWEET GUM

Liquidamber styraciflua. A stately tree with dark green star-like leaves and cork bark. Its leaves are very fragrant in spring, and in fall turn to rich tints of yellow and red It makes a broad, pyramidal tree, well adapted to streets and avenues. 30 to 60 cts. each.

## ORIENTAL BUTTONWOOD

Platanus Orientalis. The American Buttonwood is a well-known tree, growing to enormous size and showing patches or yellow, white and green on the trunk, The Oriental variety is similar to the common form, bu-

## Miscellaneous Evergreens

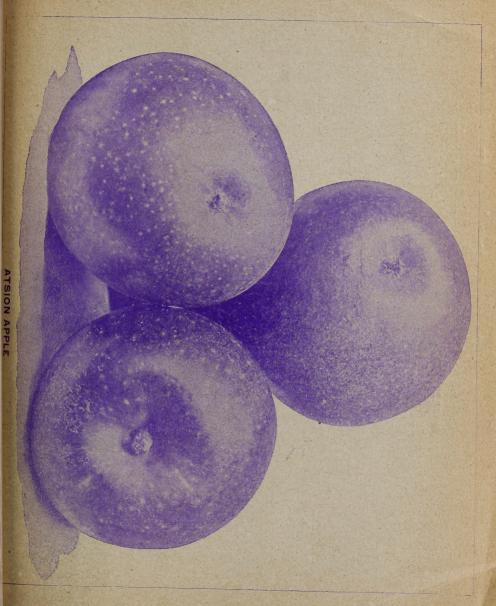
Norway Spruce 2 to 3 feet Balsam Fir 2 to 3 feet	25 cts. "	Sweedish Juniper 18 inches	30 cts, each 20 cts. "
Nordman Fir 1 to 2 feet	20 cts. "	Golden trailing Juniper, specimen plants two feet across. Chinese Tree Box	75 cts. "

## Fruit Trees Plants and Vines

Those wanting trees and plants in large quantity are requested to send for estimate

Strawberries			Apples
		Hundred	1st class, 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.; \$10 per 100.
May King, early	\$0.25	\$0.50	Ben Davis Baldwin Smith's Cider
Gandy, late	.25	.50	Winesap Summer Rose Benoni
Michigan	.25	50	
Tennessee Prolific	,25	.50	Atsion. (Clapp's Favorite) Best apple for
0	150		this section; large, bright red, splendid flavor and good keeper. 20 cts. each; \$2 per doz.; \$15 per 100.
Raspberries.			good Reeper. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz., \$15 per 100,
Turner	.35	.75	
Miller	.40	1.25	Peaches
Brandywine	-35	- 1,00	1st class, 10 cts. each; \$1 per doz,: \$7.50 per 100.
Kansas (black cap)	·35	6.00	
Commonan	1.00	0.00	Crawford's Early Stump the World Late Reeve's Favorite
Blackberries			Mt. Rose Large Early York
		42	Old Mixon Elberta
Wilson	·35	·75	
Crystal White	.40	1.00	0
Kittatinny	.40	1.00	Pears
Currants			1st class, 25 ets. each; \$2.50 per doz.; \$16 per 100.
			Bartlett Lawrence Kieffer
Victoria	.60	3.00	Anjou Clapp's Favorite Seckel
White Grape	.60	3.00	
White Grape	.00	3.00	Japan Plums
Sooseberries			1st class, 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.; \$18 per 100.
Downing	.75	4.00	
Pearl	3.00		Abundance Satsuma Burbank Ogon
			Cherries
Srapes			Cherries
01	Each	Dozen	1st class, 25 cts. each: \$2.50 per doz.; \$18 per 100
Concord	.12	.50	Early Richmond Napoleon
Martha	,12	.50	Dyehouse Gov. Wood
Moore's Diamond	,15	1.00	
Moore's Early	.12	.75	Mut Trees
Sarden Roots			
Jaruen Jioois	D	TT 2 2	Each Dozen
Acparamic	Dozen .20	Hundred	American Sweet Chestnut
Asparagus	.75	4.00	Japan Walnut, 3 to 4 ft 35
Oueen Rhubarb	.80	5.00	12 to 18 in
Horse Radish	.15	.75	Hazel Nuts, 2 tt '

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